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CALTRANS ASKS PUBLIC TO SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE

Eureka – Caltrans is committed to providing the safest transportation system in the nation for users and workers. As spring turns to summer, work activity on the roadway will increase. Caltrans asks motorists to please **Slow for the Cone Zone**, and be aware of highway workers who work hard to bring better, safer, and more efficient highways to the traveling public.

- Please drive courteously and cautiously through work zones
- Watch for advisory signs
- Plan ahead: Check the California Highway Information Network at 1-800-GAS-ROAD (1-800-427-7623) or visit www.dot.ca.gov for information on planned delays

“With the warmer weather approaching, our Maintenance and Construction work will soon be in full swing,” said Caltrans District 1 Director Charlie Fielder. “With an increase in traffic and distractions, we must all pay special attention to driving on the road. Drive defensively and make the end of the day a happy one, and please slow for the cone zone.”

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